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1. Approximately 20 deputies of the opposition have been arrested recently. Of those arrested, the only names known definitely are Gichev, Toncho Tenev, and Nedelko Atanasov. It is reported that all the arrested deputies were released at 6 p.m. [REDACTED], with the exception of Tenev and Atanasov. Similar arrests have occurred throughout the country.

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2. Vladimir Delov, nephew of Georgi Yordanov (former Minister of Public Works and an associate of Nikola Petkov), was arrested in Abrisli [REDACTED]. His present whereabouts are unknown and it is rumored that he has been killed by the militia. A few hours after his arrest his home was completely ransacked. Yordanov is now "in hiding" in his home in Sofia.

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3. [REDACTED] the Secretary of the Agrarian Union in Panagurishte was arrested in Pazardjik and taken to Panagurishte, his home town. He is believed to be still in the custody of the militia.

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